

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3154
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SETTLEMENT OF RBDCK
Kodikunnil Shri Suresh

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether final settlement for payment to Roads and Bridges Development Corporation of Kerala (RBDCK) has been pending;
- (b) if so, the main reasons for delay;
- (c) whether the RBDCK has submitted a proposal for sanctioning an advance of Rs.100 crore from the Railways in December, 2008 which can be adjusted against the reimbursement becoming due from Railways;
- (d) if so, whether the Railways have considered upon the request of the RBDCK; and
- (e) if so, the time by which the advance amount is likely to be released to RBDCK?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) and (b): Yes, Madam. 15 Road Over Bridges (ROBs) have been completed by RBDCK in Kerala. Out of this, one is fully funded by State Government and final payment has been made for two other ROBs by Railways to RBDCK. For the balance 12 cases, RBDCK is yet to furnish the complete reimbursement proposals as per Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between RBDCK and Railways. As such, the final payments could not be made.

(c) to (e) Yes, Madam. M/s. RBDCK have submitted a proposal for Rs.100 crores as advance payment by Railways. After due consideration of the matter, the payment was not acceded to.